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For: CREDIT-BASED FLOW )  
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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

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Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated March 31, 2006, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants propose that this application be amended as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.